

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Application No.: 10/556,964  
Filing Date: November 9, 2006  
Applicant: Huh  
Group Art Unit: 3732  
Examiner: Rachel A. Running  
Title: SELF-ERECTING STRUCTURE FOR ROD-SHAPED  
MEMBER AND METHOD OF PRODUCING ROD-  
SHAPED MEMBER HAVING SELF-ERECTING  
STRUCTURE  
Attorney Docket: 5703-000012/US/NP

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Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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**AMENDMENT AND PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed December 17, 2008, please amend the application as follows and consider the remarks set forth below.

Applicant hereby petitions under the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) for an extension of time in which to respond to the outstanding Office Action and includes a fee as set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a) with this response for such extension of time.

**Amendments to the Abstract** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 3 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Drawings** begin on page 12 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 13 of this paper.